

**Question on Notice**

**No. 1121**

**Asked on 28 November 2024**

**MR M FURNER** ASKED MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND THE ARTS (HON J LANGBROEK)

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise the number of contractors employed by the department (reported separately by position, in a table) as at 28 October 2024?

ANSWER:

The Queensland Government's Open Data website provides details of contracts awarded by agencies across Government, including for contractors engaged by the Department of Education.

The Member is able to access the Department's most recently published contract disclosure register for the 2023–24 financial year, which is available here: <https://www.data.qld.gov.au/dataset/department-of-education-contracts-disclosure/resource/1b8b1d80-d476-47f0-8f78-c5dbaf6cfe03>.

The data requested is not a publicly reported measure. To report each 'contractor' engaged by the Department 'by position' as the Member has requested would require extended work to collate and may inadvertently identify individual contractual arrangements which would be inappropriate.